

National Commission on the Future of the Army

2530 Crystal Drive, Zachary Taylor Building, Suite 5000 Arlington, VA 22202

National Commission on the Future of the Army

Open meeting, January 28, 2016

Present:

Chairman – GEN. Carter F. Ham (USA, Ret)

Vice Chairman – HON. Thomas R. Lamont (ARNGUS, Ret)

Member – GEN. James D. Thurman (USA, Ret)

Member – GEN. Larry R. Ellis (USA, Ret) Member – LTG Jack C. Stultz (USA, Ret)

Member – HON. Robert F. Hale (Former USD Comptroller)
Member – HON. Kathleen H. Hicks (Former PDUSD Policy)

Member – SMA Raymond F. Chandler (USA, Ret)

Designated Federal Officer – Mr. Don Tison (DFO)

Location: Room 285, State Services Organization, Hall of States, 444 North Capitol Street NW., Suite 237, Washington, DC 20001

Attendees: In accordance with the provisions of Public Law 92-463, the meeting was open to the public from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm. There were approximately 96 members of the public present for this event.

Agenda: Present the Commission's final report.

Hard copies of the Commission's report were provided and the report was also posted for the public at www.ncfa.ncr.gov. C-Span recorded the event for delayed broadcast. Video available at www.c-span.org/video/?403815-1/national-commission-future-army-news-conference.

The DFO called the meeting to order at 1400 hours and explained that this would be the final session of the Commission conducted under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) and turned over the proceedings to the Chair.

The Chairman provided a short summary of the Commission's activities and overarching findings. Each Commissioner then provided short overviews of the most salient portions of the report.

Commissioners answered questions from the media from approximately 1450 to 1530 hours. Following media questions, members of the public were offered the opportunity to ask questions and none chose to do so.

The DFO adjourned the meeting at 1530 hours.